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METHODS FOR PRODUCING AQUEOUS INK-JET

RECORDING MEDIA USING HOT-MELT EXTRUDABLE COMPOSITIONS AND MEDIA

PRODUCED THEREFROM

REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

August 16, 2002

Sir:

In reply to the Restriction Requirement dated July 16, 2002, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

REMARKS

Claims 1-25 are pending in the present application.

The Examiner has required election in the present application between:

Group I, claims 1-16, drawn to a process of making a product by process, classified in class 156, subclass 235;

Group II, claims 17-19, drawn to articles, classified in class 428, subclass 195; and